

PATENT -- AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Michael R. Burk, et al.. : Date: January 28, 2008
Group Art Unit: 2154 : IBM Corporation
Examiner: J. Park : Intellectual Property Law
Serial No.: 10/767,043 : Dept. 917, Bldg. 006-1
Filed: January 29, 2004 : 3605 Highway 52 North
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR : Rochester, MN 55901
MANAGING A CONNECTION POOL : Conf No.: 4830
USING HEURISTIC INFORMATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the October 31, 2007, Office Action, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Docket No.: ROC920030351US1
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